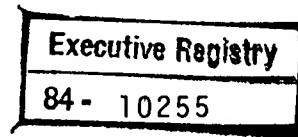


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December 7, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence
SUBJECT: NIE: 11-9/2-84 - "Soviet Policy Toward the
Superpower Competition, 1985-1990"

The SRP comments on this are on the mark as they usually are. In Section III(C) of the first outline I would think Vietnam, Southern Africa, the Horn and Cuba-Central America should be treated under part of the extended empire. In the second outline on page 4 it would seem to me that health and longevity should be part of the treatment of social delays.

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